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Dear General Gehlen:

I have read with great interest your study, Gedanken zur Weltlage, dated 6 July. My senior intelligence officers and I have found it both stimulating and helpful to us in the difficult task of sketching trends over a long period ahead.

~~It would be most unsatisfactory for me to attempt in this letter to comment on your study. This is particularly true since General Truscott will be returning to Germany in the near future and will be able to discuss it with you in greater detail.~~

With best wishes for the New Year, I am

Sincerely yours,

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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